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Docket No.: 218135US2

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/047,092  
Applicants: Hiromichi ATSUUMI  
Filing Date: January 17, 2002  
For: SCANNING OPTICS WITH OPTICAL ELEMENTS  
FORMED OF RESIN AND OPTICAL SCANNING  
DEVICE AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS  
USING THE SAME  
Group Art Unit: 2872  
Examiner: ALLEN, D. S.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION  
DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (1 MONTH)**

Our credit card payment form in the amount of \$110.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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This Request for Reconsideration is in response to the Office Action dated June 2,  
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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.